



Upcoming Events....

- **Friday Coffees:** Oct 12, Oct 26, and Nov 9 at 10:00 am at French Confection in Middletown.
- **Tuesday Coffees:** Oct 16, Oct 30, and Nov 13 at 10:00 am at Thrive Coffee House in Portsmouth.
- **Let's Talk Military Money:** Oct 25 at 11:30 am at Aquidneck Pizzeria in Middletown.
- **Off-Island Adventures:** Oct 30 9:00 am to Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.
- **Christmas Star Folding:** Nov 15 at 6 pm, location to be decided.
- **Day Book Club:** Nov 7 at 9:30 am.
- **Mahjonn:** Thursdays at 9:30 am.

For more information or to register for the above, please visit the MSON website at www.milspousenewport.org and see the Calendar and Special Interest Groups pages.

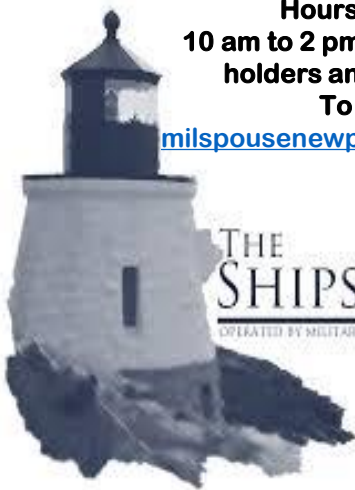


We have a new special interest group!

Off-Island Adventures, coordinated by Trish Poirrer, is a new group aimed at heading out to find new adventures. The first outing will be a group trip to the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston via train on October 30. This full day adventure will begin at 9:00 am with MBTA train travel to Boston where group will visit one of the most comprehensive museums in the world. The current exhibitions include:

- Winnie-the-Pooh: Exploring a Classic
- French Pastels: Treasures from the Vault
- Collecting Stories: Native American Art
- Making Modern
- Candice Breitz: Love Story
- Much, much more! Over 450,000 works of art reside in this world-famous collection.

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**Hours: Monday-Thursday
10 am to 2 pm. Open to valid military I.D.
holders and accompanied guests.**

**To volunteer, email
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Volunteer Opportunities

- **The Ship's Bell** is always looking for more volunteers to help with the store! Contact milspousenewport.theshipsbell@gmail.com for more information.
- **Support Meals for Families** helps provide dinners delivered to families experiencing new babies, illnesses, grief and loss, and other stressful events. Visit the [MSON website](#) for information and to volunteer.
- **Bunco**, the fast and fun dice game played by military spouse groups worldwide! Our bunco club is currently inactive. If you'd like to volunteer to get it going, please contact milspousenewport.president@gmail.com.
- **Socials, The Pink Book, Hospitality and Welcome Events, Charities, and Scholarships Committees** are all seeking members. Please visit the MSON website's "[About MSON](#)" page to find contact information for each committee.
- **The MSON Board** is seeking a volunteer to fill the role of Vice President. Please contact milspousenewport.president@gmail.com to inquire.

Community Links

- **Naval Station Newport MWR's** Facebook [page](#) offers up to date information on events and services on base.
- **Official Military Spouses of Newport** Facebook [page](#) is this organization's members only page.
- **City of Newport's** tourism website at http://www.cityofnewport.com/visitor_s/tourism offers lots of suggestions for local activities.
- **NAVSTA Newport Homes' website** offers a Resident Resources page at <http://www.navstanewporthomes.com/resident-resources/> full of practical information for residents of their Belfour Beatty communities.

